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## PUBLIC SAFETY CAMPAIGN

### SAFETY COUNCIL TO INSPECT ALL AUTOMOBILES

The State Public Safety Campaign is designed to offset the two main causes of automobile accidents as far as it is humanly possible to do so. The causes are:

1. The Human Element—Careless, thoughtless, reckless driving; ignorance of traffic laws; complete or partial disregard of same; influential obstruction of the law's due course.
2. The Mechanical Element—Poor condition of safety factors of passenger and commercial automobiles—brakes, lights, horns, steering mechanism—causing approximately 30% of all accidents.

The Michigan Safety Council, of which the Governor of the State is Chairman, comprised the Michigan Commissioner of Public Safety, police authorities, officers of Automobile Clubs and of other civilian organizations. The Council aims to increase the law's effectiveness through voluntary action of civilian influences with those of constituted regulatory authorities; to attempt to lessen the distinction which gradually has tended to become established, which segregates officers of the law on the one side who in the minds of many signify "the Law," and puts civilians on the other side, who to many signify a group who should be against the law. In short, to outline the law's sphere of influence and multiply the number of citizens who actively support it.

**Official Inspection Stations.** Local commercial garages, adequate in number in each locality, will be designated by local Community Safety Committees, approved by the Michigan Safety Council. Their names and locations will be made public. They will be authorized to inspect a face of chassis cars which may be brought to them. Any car or truck owner will be free to select his own inspection station and must not be obligated to have needed work done at the station which inspects his car or truck unless he so elects.

**Certificate of Inspection.** An Official Inspection Station will be furnished with Official Safety stickers to be signed by the inspector and attached to the windshield of the car inspected. The windshield of the car inspected must be in safe condition or have been made safe.

**Police Recognition.** Police officers will honor signatures of inspectors on windshield stickers and will not detain drivers for "Police Inspection" unless circumstances indicate that further inspection is necessary.

**Station Numbers.** All stations will be assigned numbers and will receive direct from the Michigan Safety Council at Lansing official forms.

**Mary Niedringhaus**



Pretty Mary Niedringhaus, daughter of Congressman E. E. E. Niedringhaus from Missouri, will be a welcome addition to the young set of the National Capital when he further takes his seat in the Seventy-first Congress.

## School Notes

Editors: Isbrand Harder, Ellen Speck, Corinne Sheldon.

Melvin—I just saw a woman down town and one side of her face was all black.

Marius—But what made it that way?

Melvin—I don't know how it got that way but the other side was all black too.

Steve—"Are nuts supposed to be healthy?"

Dorothy—"What's the matter are you sick?"

Stanley M.—My dog tracked me five miles by the scent of my feet.

Truman—Why don't you wash your feet and fool him?

Mr. Cushman—"What's your business?"

Elmer F.—"None of yours."

Miss Clark—I wonder why Columbus imagined the world was round.

Jerry—"Because it didn't give him a square deal."

Mr. Smith—What is a nonconductor?

Marius—One that is not a conductor.

Mr. Smith—Give an example.

Marius—A brakeman.

A dame—I would like to put out of biz.

The one who phones "Guess who this is."

Eleven years ago Chicago prepared to go to war. If at that time Chicago had possessed its present reputation, the Kaiser might not have started anything.

Marius H.—This match won't light.

Miss Lindstrom—What is the matter with it?

Marius—I don't know. It lit alright a minute ago.

The British scientist who says the brain is the only part of the human machine that doesn't wear out may mean that it is the only part that is in no danger of being overworked.

Alton J.—I suppose you wish every day had 365 days of rest.

Alfred B.—Why not? Then I'd like to work a day every fourth year.

Kendall S.—How did you make out with the girl I saw you riding with?

Julian S.—Oh, she had the hoot and the house.

K. S.—What do you mean? I thought only dumb animals had that.

J. S.—Well, she qualifies. She talked all the way out there and then walked back.

Mr. Smith—"I have a good car for sale."

Ted W.—My ears aren't any good for anything but to catch dirt.

Mrs. Murphy—Now Mary, can you give me any reason why I should not punish you for your disobedience?

Mary—Yes, mother, the doctor said you weren't to take any violent exercise.

We wonder what would happen if: Bob forgot her winky case.

Martha forgot her gum.

Kendall didn't have a date.

Elizabeth S. couldn't laugh.

Daisy got her algebra.

Clara got her Caesar.

Boots took taller.

Helen S. took things seriously.

Lura E. didn't get her studies.

Leona forgot to take library.

Dean forgot to go to Latin class.

Carl L. would not let his age.

Ellen G. wore long dresses.

Miss Leo forgot to give an assignment.

Miss Clark was meant.

Miss Hood forgot to take roll.

Mr. Cushman forgot to say: "Pick up that paper."

Mr. Smith forgot to go to Algebra class.

Take your prescriptions to the Central Drug Store.

**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY**

Service at 10 o'clock A. M.

Each Sunday Legion Hall.

Everyone cordially invited.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL 10:00 O'CLOCK**

All children welcome.



Arthur H. Vandenberg of Grand Rapids, appointed senator from Michigan to fill out term of late Senator Weeks. 2—Cotton cotton spinning with Egyptian cotton during the war. 3—A ship in which General Nobile of Italy plans to start soon on his second flight over the North pole from Spitzbergen.

## HOSPITAL DAY AT MERCY HOSPITAL

The Sisters of Mercy assisted by the ladies of the Hospital Aid, kept open house Saturday afternoon, May 12th at Mercy Hospital.

During the afternoon a very good representation of the Grayling public as well as several from out of the city called and were taken through our beautiful hospital which is one of the most complete and best maintained institutions of its kind in the state.

We are justly proud of it and it is fitting that once a year on National Hospital Day that the public visit the hospital and note improvements that have taken place from year to year.

The verandas and lawn had been decorated with the national colors for the occasion while inside the lower halls were attractive with bouquets of flowers.

Tea and coffee were served during the afternoon with Mrs. Estern Hanson, president of the Hospital Aid and Mrs. Oscar Hanson pouring.

Mrs. C. R. Keyport was chairman of arrangements and Mrs. C. G. Clippert of the program which was very well received by those present.

The hospital is now under the direction of Sister Mary Leo, and the usual standard of excellent management is being maintained.

Although no donations are solicited or expected on this day, some substantial checks were received.

Following is the program given: High School Orchestra—(Mrs. B. E. Smith, director.)

Ladies quartette.

Piano solo—Marion Hanson.

Dancing—Marion and Evelyn Olson.

Orchestra.

Piano Duet—Georgiana Olson, Elaine Reagan.

Vocal duet—Mrs. Tetu and Mrs. Minnes.

Ladies sextette—Marie Schmidt, Mrs. Minnes, Mrs. Gotro, Mrs. Tetu, Miss Hermann and Mrs. Clippert.

Orchestra.

**THE LATE SENATOR WOOD BRIDGE N. FERRIS**

(by Congressman R. O. Woodruff)

At 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon, May 13th, in the Senate Chamber at the Capitol, memorial addresses were delivered on the late Senator Woodbridge N. Ferris of Michigan, whose leadership in educational and political circles yielded such a marked influence over the lives and characters of Michigan people for the past forty-three years.

The speakers were Senators Cowens and Vandenberg of Michigan, Glass of Virginia, Fess of Ohio, George of Georgia, and Sheppard of Texas. These Senators paid high tribute to him as an educator and statesman. Senator Vandenberg, who was appointed by Governor Green to serve the unexpired term of Senator Ferris, inserted as a part of his eloquent address the undelivered speech of Senator Ferris on the subject of Education, which was prepared by him shortly before his death for delivery in the Senate.

## RESIDENT OF GRAYLING SINCE SOUTH BRANCH COUPLE CELEBRATES GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

The farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph J. Royce in South Branch township was the scene of a happy event last Saturday, the occasion being their golden wedding anniversary. Responding to invitations more than fifty relatives and friends were present to participate in the festivities.

At noon a sumptuous dinner was served and from then on until evening the time was spent in various amusements.

Mr. Royce and Mrs. Sylvia Miller were married in Oakland county and came to Crawford county Nov. 12, 1882, locating upon a homestead on the banks of the Ausable river. They lived there until 1900 when they moved to their present farm which they have developed into one of the best in this section. Up to this time they have been blessed with a family of six children.

Mr. Royce was born in Sweden, November 24, 1882, and his boyhood and young manhood were spent in his native country. On November 22, 1884 he was united in marriage to Miss Charlotte Johnson and to the union two daughters were born, Edith and Elizabeth. In the spring of 1902 the family came to America from Sweden and settled in Kenosha, Wisconsin, but remained there only until the following September when they came to Grayling where they have since resided. Mr. Hagman was employed in the mills of Salling Hanson Co. until the winter of 1924 when he was taken ill, from which illness he never fully recovered.

Surviving the deceased are his wife and two daughters, Miss Agnes Johnson of Grayling and Mrs. Felix Erickson of Port Huron. Also a sister, Mrs. Hagman, lives in Sweden and five grandchildren, Sigurd and Agda Johnson, Linne, Stanley and Vera, Erickson. Those who came to be in attendance at the funeral from out of town were Mrs. Erickson, Sigurd Johnson, Birgitta and Mrs. Erickson, a daughter of Mrs. Hagman.

The deceased was a member of the Maccabee lodge and of the Scandinavian Foreman lodge, having been president of the latter organization for several years.

The remaining members of the family have the sympathy of many friends in their bereavement.

**YOUNG COUPLE WED**

The M. E. passage was the scene of a pretty wedding ceremony Saturday evening, when Miss Alvina Kluge of Fletcher was united in marriage to Mr. Floyd Rittenburgh of Houghton Lake. Rev. J. W. Greenwood officiated at the ceremony and the young couple were attended by Miss Elsie Smith of Onaway and Mr. Carlyle Brown of Grayling. The bride was prettily attired in peach georgette, heavily beaded. Her bridesmaid also wore the same color gown and both wore ribbon bandeaus and carried bouquets of sweet peas.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. William Kluge of Fletcher, where, following the ceremony, a wedding lunch and dancing party was enjoyed by neighbors and friends of the young couple. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Rittenburgh of Houghton Lake, formerly of Woodland, Michigan. The young couple left Sunday for Flint, where they expect to remain indefinitely and carry with them the best wishes of hosts of friends.

## Michelson Memorial Church

John Wilfred Greenwood, Minister. May 20th, 1928

At 10:30 a. m. the minister will speak on the theme "The Master Poet." Special music makes the morning service doubly attractive.

At 7:30 p. m. the third address in the series "Crisis in the Life of Christ." The theme will be "On the Hillsides with the Common People." Pictures illustrate the entire series.

"Character, Not Cash, Adorns Age." "It's not the stocks and bonds and bank accounts that we accumulate in life, but the character we develop that counts!"

Sorrow, trouble, trials and tribulations bring lines of care upon a face, but they are marks of character.

Those who have suffered for their ideals, those who have sacrificed for their loved ones, those who have suffered in silence, acquire a nobility of mind and soul that pedigree and luxuries cannot bestow.

I have seen nobility of character chased on the fine old face of a workman more kindly than one sees in the faces of those who were wrapped in ermine and crowned with gold.

I have seen a holiness of expression that comes from faith with mankind upon the humble that is often lacking in the countenance of those who profess great piety.

Fine tailoring, and costly cars, and studied manners, and the power of a wasted life, the weak lines of the face of persons who live dissipated, selfish, greedy lives.

Age is the answer to one's life. Those who live and think right need not fear to grow old.

Contact with the aged is one of the finest, most inspiring lessons that death may have. That home in which there is an aged one is blessed indeed. Young folks often grow impatient with the aged—but the day will come when they will realize that the most precious lessons they have learned were those of patience and peace and the calm resignation and fearlessness to meet their God that you can only learn from those dear old ones.

To be loved and respected in one's old age is life's greatest reward.

The memory and inspiration of a good life, well lived, that is the greatest heritage a person can leave. Beside which worldly goods are but the worthless confetti often left behind by those who lived as if it were a carnival.

**SUPREME PRELATE VISITS GRAYLING**

The local Pythians and a few friends enjoyed Tuesday evening with the Supreme Prelate of the Knights of Pythians, Mr. Attwood, gave a very interesting discourse at the Michelson Memorial church on what a candidate receives when initiated into the order. Instead of the ridiculous form of "riding the goat," as the term is generally conceived, he is initiated into the beautiful principles of the Pythian ritualistic principles.

During the evening Mrs. Harold Jernin and Mrs. Roy Milnes rendered a duet very beautifully, accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Emil Gierling. Pythianism is founded on friendship and since its inception at Washington, D. C. 1864, it has been the means of uniting many factions, particularly the people of the North and South, following the Civil war. The ideals of the order are high and wholesome and the spirit cheerful and optimistic.

Mr. Attwood is a charming character and has won the hearts of vast audiences from coast to coast and from the Arctic to the Gulf. About 22 years ago he lost his eyesight while traveling to install the officers of a Pythian lodge. He and his companion was caught in a severe blizzard and with the mercury standing at below zero his face and eyes were frozen. He never regained his eyesight, but in spite of this handicap he is enjoying a happy life, rich with the warmest friendship of many thousands of Pythians everywhere. This is the first time a blind, Michigan. The young couple left Sunday for Flint, where they expect to remain indefinitely and carry with them the best wishes of hosts of friends.

## FOREST FIRES DID MUCH DAMAGE

ABOUT 8 TO 10 THOUSAND ACRES DEVASTATED

The demon Fire cut loose again last week and destroyed from eight to ten thousand acres of forest. It started in section 27, town 27-2, in the forest reserve. There was much fine timber in that region and practically all was destroyed.

The fire travelled east and north and reached nearly to Lovells, and also southeast crossing the north branch of the Ausable river and reached nearly to the main stream of the Ausable, near the Rainbow and Chicago clubs.

It is believed the fire is the result of the careless throwing out of a lighted match or cigarette. Men were hauling wood from that region and some believe it may have been caused by one of them. Large crews of men were busy just as soon as they could be assembled, and the fighting went on day and night.

The grass and brush was dry as tinder and the fire spread rapidly. A high wind during a large portion of the time made the task doubly difficult. We understand the fire was first reported by the fire-watch near Knecht lake—Floyd Taylor. From a tiny smoke it quickly developed into a raging monster.

That region was well stocked with wild game and a warden reports that a number of fawns lost their lives in the conflagration. Rabbits ran about everywhere and seemed to appeal to the men for protection. And no doubt many nests of partridge and insectivorous birds were destroyed. The loss of wild life is surmised to have been large.

**Yanki San**

Given by the Girls' Glee Club, Friday, May 18.

Admission 15 and 25c.

Prince Toto was banished to the island of No Man. His daughter, Yanki San, is born on the island. She is beloved by the court but hated by her twin sisters. The sisters hated the Wolf Witch of the island to cast its evil spell.

Rumors of Yanki San's beauty are carried by the fisher lads to the court of the Mikado. The Mikado sends ambassadors to the island to negotiate for the hand of Yanki San. The Prince refuses to let them see Yanki San and suggests that they take one of the twins; but they depart in anger.

Finally, all curses being of no avail to awaken Princess from the spell of the Wolf Witch, her father offers her hand to whomsoever will slay the Wolf Witch and break its charm. Prince Toto, the Grand son of the Mikado, slays the Wolf Witch and carries Yanki San back to old Japan as his bride.

Cast of characters: Yanki San, the Princess—Marie Schmidt. San-Fan, maid to Yanki San—Norma Wheeler. Twin Roses of Old Japan—Corinne Sheldon, Dorothy Roberts. Prince Toto, father of Yanki San—Elmer Fenton. Princess Toto, mother of Yanki San—Miss Adams. High Chancellor of the Court of No Man—Isbrand Harder. Ambassador—Stanley Stephens, Kendall Stinchcomb. Prince Goo, son of the Mikado—Howard Schmidt. Prince Ton Ton—Julian Smith. Chorus of Japanese Maidens—Margaret Warren, Grace Parker, Pauline Lietz, Mary Murphy, Lura Englin, Irene Speck, Viola Kennedy, William Burrows, Elsie Johnson, Mary Schumann, Alice LaBrash, Ellen Speck, Nadine McNeven.

Our spring 1-cent sale Thursday, Friday and Saturday, May 24-25-26. Mac & Gidley, the Rexall Store.

**MARSHAL PILSUDSKI**, dictator of Poland, found himself up against a bunch of hard-bolted Communists when the new parliament opened, and the disturbances were such that the police were called in and the sitting was soon suspended. When the diet reassembled the opposition succeeded in electing its candidate for speaker, Dabinski, by a vote of 200 to 140 for Pilsudski's candidate, Barwila.

## Builders!

HERE IS SOMETHING NEW

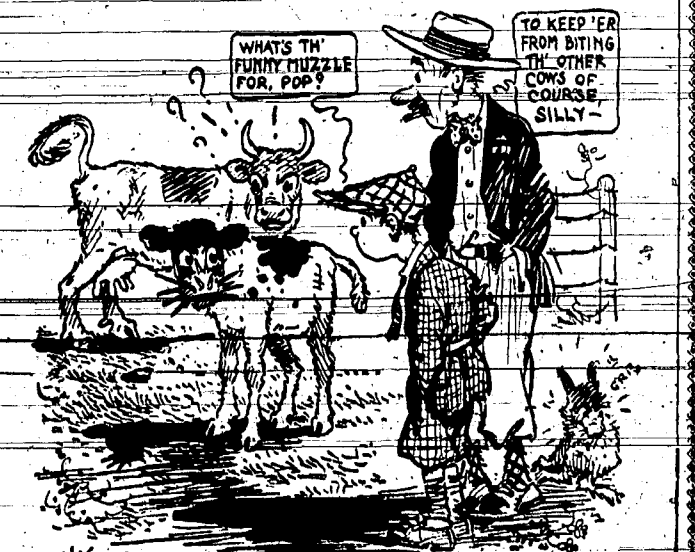
### SISALKRAFT

Meeting with great favor with builders. Sisalkraft is a tough, permanent, strong, clean, waterproof lining. It has two layers of tough kraft paper, a double layer of asphaltum waterproofing and two layers of Java rope sisal fibre.

It is in a class by itself for waterproofing, in place of sheathing paper under clapboards, brick, stucco, shingle, composition and tile roofs, etc. And it has many other uses that suggest themselves to builders and home owners. Come in and ask to see it. You will be pleased.

**Grayling Box Company**  
Everything in Lumber and Builders' Supplies  
PHONE 622

## City Pop Solves the Mystery



## 9:20 and Finished

It is truly surprising how much time and effort an electric iron will save on your weekly ironing. One certain way to find out is—try one.

We will be glad to send one upon approval.



**Michigan Public Service Co.**  
PHONE 1542





for a smooth, lovely skin

Beats today to use the exquisite Venetian Toilet Preparations created by Elizabeth Arden as a part of the famous skin treatments given in her Salons. Ask at the nearest drug store for a copy of "The Quest of the Beautiful," Elizabeth Arden's book on the care of the skin.

**Venetian Cleansing Cream.**—Tones, firms and softens the skin. Leaves it smooth and clear. Price, 25c. **Venetian Pore Cream.**—Tones, firms and softens the skin. Leaves it smooth and clear. Price, 25c. **Venetian Arden Skin Tonic.**—Gentle, refreshing and invigorating. Price, 25c.

ELIZABETH ARDEN'S Venetian Toilet Preparations

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THURSDAY, MAY 17, 1928

#### LOCAL NEWS

Fresh Cream, Butter, Eggs,  
and all the necessities of life,  
at the lowest prices.

Gift Shop, Redson & Co.,  
Grayling, Mich.

State Marriage of Peter and  
Mary, May 15, 1928.

Winters Day, May 15, 1928.

Frank Jensen, May 15, 1928.

Mrs. Glen, May 15, 1928.

James, May 15, 1928.

his parents, May 15, 1928.

for a few days.

Miss Helen, May 15, 1928.

visited at the Charles Jensen home

a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest, May 15, 1928.

located in the house formerly oc-

cupied by R. D. Baily.

Mrs. F. J. Remond, May 15, 1928.

visited her mother, Mrs. Jens P. Je-

sen, over the week-end.

It will stand you well in hand to

take advantage of our 1-cent sale

that starts May 24 and ends May 26.

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#### POPULAR YOUNG COUPLE WED

A wedding of interest to their many friends was that of Miss Anna C. Peterson and Mr. Alfred Hanson that took place last night at the parsonage of the Danish-Lutheran church.

Miss A. Ingeborg Hanson attended the bride as bridesmaid, Mr. Harry Hemmingson acted as best man, and Rev. C. R. Keyport officiated at the ceremony.

The young couple are among the most popular of young people here, having hosts of friends by whom they are held in high esteem.

Mr. Hanson is owner of the Alfred Hanson Service station and for some time past Mrs. Hanson has helped him in the business. Also the former is Grayling township's obliging and efficient clerk who has held many other offices of trust in the township and village.

Both are enterprising young people and the Avalanche joins with their many friends in wishing them much happiness.

Mr. and Mrs. Hanson have rented the Heiler Sorenson home on Loma street, where they will be at home to their friends.

Ben Yoder of Lansing visited his family here over the week-end, accompanied by Bert Menden.

Mrs. Newton Reason is expected to arrive in Grayling from a visit to her relatives and friends while here.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Caley returned from a business trip Tuesday, spent in Grand Rapids, Detroit and Lansing.

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#### Pretty Dinner Frock



#### Gets Diplomatic Post



#### Confident of H's Yankees



#### "Sigsbee Owl"

Editors—Jack L. Feldhauser, Roger L. Kneff. Sponsor: (teacher) M. C. Brewster.

Safety first lessons were in order last Wednesday, when the smell of smoke from the timber burning in sections 25 and 27, reached us.

Herbert, Marguerite and Donald Feldhauser were fire orphans, being unable to attend school for three days because their father (A. P. Feldhauser, keyman for this county) had to use their car to oversee the burning area.

Roger Kneff presented us with a new bookcase. Its need was evidenced by the fact that we obtained twelve new books.

We are proud of a picture of George Washington by Stuart, which we won as a reward for successfully carrying out the "Better Breakfasts" contest.

The sweet peas which the Nature Study class planted are up about four inches. They are up about four inches.

Jack Feldhauser gave a detailed speech on the "Habits of the Forest." This was the outcome of a minute observation last Sunday in Maple Forest.

Thomas Wakley presented Miss Brewster with a bouquet of violets Wednesday. We wonder if this is a peace offering.

Everyone is looking forward to summer vacation. Plans for picnics, fishing trips, etc., are being contrived. Miss Brewster is going to attend school in Mt. Pleasant.

Saturday afternoon we boys hiked to the fire tower. We entertained Freddy Smith from Bay City. Our teacher proved to be a very efficient climber.

Harriet Wakley has been absent the last three weeks because of the illness of her mother.

Benny Sorenson, trying to set a new "bike" speed record when the last bell rang, broke three spokes in his bicycle.

Miss Brewster spent Sunday at Washburn. She and Roger caught down river.

We have been blessed with visitors. The last week we have had from three to six in a single day.

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## Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO.

Thursday, May 11, 1905

The weather for the past three days has been—just words fail.

M. A. Bates has bought the store building of Dr. Woodworth on Michigan avenue.

N. P. Michelson has leased the Central hotel to O. Milnes, who has taken possession and who will undoubtedly be a successful boniface.

William G. Woodfield came home from West Branch to play with the babies over Sunday. He has sold his business down there and will resume his old job on the railroad.

Edna Wilkinson of Maple Forest was in town yesterday and claims to have received less than half the money that was paid in for his benefit, after his loss by fire.

Robinson, joined her husband last week at Grayling, where he has a good position on the railroad, which has induced them to transfer their home to this city. The two children will follow with best wishes.

Harry Johnson has gone into the dispatcher's office in Bay City, which is a fine promotion and if permanent will soon lead to another. Our only regret is that it will take him and his wife from our village. He is succeeded by the night operator, Louis Ueberhurs.

Thursday, May 18, 1905

Mrs. C. O. McCullough spent a few days in Gaylord last week, where her father, Mr. Cameron, is seriously ill.

Mr. Kerry was called east Saturday by the sudden death of his father. We were unable to learn the particulars.

H. Joseph is not talking much, but quietly shows his catch and measures speckled trout eighteen inches and

over. Mr. Charles Howland is here again and the cement walk around the court house grounds is being rapidly completed.

The ladies of the Catholic society will give a ten-cent supper Saturday afternoon and evening at the residence of Mrs. C. L. Tromble.

Hon. H. H. Woodruff, of Roscommon, and attorney Geo. Bennett, of West Branch, were the only outside attorneys at this term of court.

Mr. J. Morrison has gone to his home in Cass City for a vacation. His place in the Central drug store is taken by J. S. Winslow of Cheyenne for the time.

James P. Ott of Fennell meadows, severely injured by the car at a south of that village.

E. N. Salling was over from Michigan for the first time in his regular business trips and to over the progress of the new floor.

He always finds time for a little social time with his friends. Judge Sharp and stenographer Auslin came up on the noon train, Monday, for the May term of the Circuit Court, which was promptly convened.

If you don't feel that you can stand up and say a good word for your town and county at least don't go about running them down. Men differ in their judgment as to what is good or bad or indifferent in things of this kind, and the other fellow may have a better idea of them than you have.

From an item in last week's Gaylord Herald one might well imagine lord Herald one might well imagine.

That Bro. McKinley has strange notions in relation to appropriate Christmas gifts.

The idea of March played a very important part in Roman history. Ideas of June may be fatal to the political lives of a lot of statesmen in America this year.

A lot of presidential candidates are going to be defeated during the month of June and the same thing will happen to a number of baseball teams which claimed the pennant during the winter season.

### Nursing in Beirut



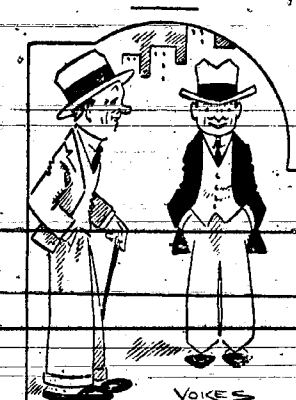
Miss Edna Steiger, the only American nurse employed by the Near-East Relief in Beirut, Syria, where 100 cases of smallpox and 22 deaths have just been reported by cable. Miss Steiger was in charge of medical work among 15,000 Greek refugees in Samson on the Black Sea during the Christmas evacuations from Turkey when epidemics of smallpox, scarlet fever, typhus and mumps were raging. For this work she was awarded the high civil decoration in the gift of the Greek government, the Cross of the Order of George I.

### Father Sage Says:

Many a poor young man is compelled to work for a living simply because his father-in-law failed to amass a fortune.

Oak Coca Cola barrels for sale. We have 40, 10 and 5 gallon barrels. Central Drug Store.

### LACHRYMOSE PEOPLE



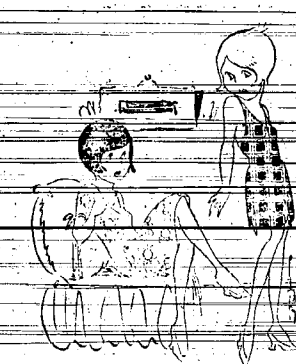
"What lachrymose people the Eskimos must be!"  
"How so?"  
"They indulge in a blubber so often."

### YOU BET



"Here, would you like a nice horse, hold 'em?"  
"Oh, Oswald! This is so sudden!"

### WHOSE WAS IT?



"My husband had a long hair on his coat last evening."  
"Don't worry. No young girl wears it long now."

### AIN'T IT SO?



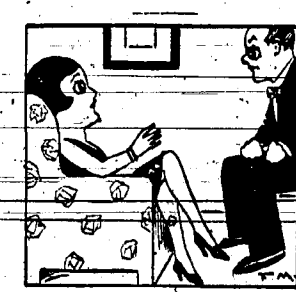
"I tell you the man who invented the automobile was a public benefactor."  
"Sure, they're the kind of things that count."

### COLD RESISTANCE



"Of all the creatures the polar bear can stand the most cold."  
"Oh, no; the hippopotamus can keep his fur coat and beat him at that!"

### HOT STUFF



The Lover—All my letters have been burned? How could you do such a thing?  
She—Don't blame me—it was spontaneous combustion, I'm sure.

### Chic Sports Outfit



An attractive two-piece sports outfit for spring and early summer. The outfit blouse has rayon stripes and the pleated skirt is of navy-blue rayon.

### DIPPING INTO SCIENCE

#### Whirlpools

A whirlpool is created by the coming together of two strong currents of water. The greatest whirlpool in the world is Charybdis in the Strait of Messina, which has been in existence thousands of years. The largest one in the United States and one of the most famous is just below Niagara falls. (© 1928 Western Newspaper Union.)

Who remembers the good old days when you could pick up a hairpin almost any old place?

Whenever a confirmed pedestrian buys an automobile the first thing he tries to do is to run down a couple of pedestrians to get even for what he used to have to suffer in crossing the street.

### COLLEGE FRIENDSHIP

By THOMAS ARKLE CLARK  
Dean of Men, University of Illinois.

THE fraternity was celebrating the fortieth anniversary of its founding and they had come back, these three old boys, to take part in the celebration. One was a banker and one was a lawyer and the third was a physician, high up in scientific accomplishment. I was simply an on-looker, a grand old fellow of the organization. I would be introduced at the banquet with the old familiar phrase, "We are very fortunate to have with us this evening," etc., but I really didn't count. It was the three men who counted. Past sixty they were, and charter members, and friends through more than forty years.

There are no friendships, it seems to me, quite like college friendships. They come together at a most impressive time of life. They are away from home probably for the first time, very often they know no one, and possibly they are desperately homesick. There is the community of interest in immediately, a bond of sympathy, a mutual understanding and a mutual helpfulness. It was thus these three had met.

They came into the chapter house very late, the shyness of youth, as was the shyness of youth. The active men—boys, I might say—received them with some ceremony as befitted their age. They were escorted to a certain room where the old men greeted each other in the old days.

"Hello, old."

"Well, you old buzzard, like."

"And here's our little Willie boy."

They sat with their arms around each other; they told old tales of bull-fighting escapades, of tricks they had played upon each other, of the clever ways in which they had kept the world from the door, for none of them had an easy life in college. Each man had succeeded in his own way, but it was not of this that they talked; it was of the old days, of the old friends, the old risks, and as they talked they seemed to grow closer together. They were fast friends.

They wandered over the old college grounds; they sought out the places where they had lived; they strolled down the old walks as they had done when their sweethearts came with them, forty years before.

They said nothing serious; they gave no wise advice to the young fellows. There was no regretting missed hours while in college. They were simply getting all the joy and happiness out of the remembrance that it was possible to get.

Their speeches at the banquet were all humorous speeches; only at the last moment there was a little ceremony, and the doctor was presented with a legated pin in recognition of some service he had rendered to the chapter and some very tender words were said. The judge pinned the emblem on, and there were tears in his eyes, and there were tears in everyone's eyes, and they had their arms about each other, these old men, and then they smiled and wiped the tears out of their eyes.

"Aren't we fond?" they said to each other.

College friendship! There's nothing like them.

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### DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION FOR THE STATE OF MICHIGAN

Lansing, April 24, 1925

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the following described abandoned tax lands, situate in the county of Crawford, deeded to the State by the auditor general under provisions of Act 127 of Act 208, Public Acts of 1898 and acts amendatory thereto, have been withdrawn from homestead entry by the auditor general and director of conservation acting jointly, as authorized and empowered by Section 131 of Act 155 Public Acts of 1927, examined and appraised and will be placed in market by offering them for sale at a Public Auction to be held at his office, Room 804 State Office Building, City of Lansing, on Monday, June 4, 1928 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at which time they will become subject to purchase in the manner prescribed by law.

In the event of a sale the deed or deeds by which they are conveyed to the purchaser or purchasers will contain a clause reserving to the State of Michigan all rights in any mineral, oil or gas found lying or being on, within or under the said lands, and also reserving to the People of the State of Michigan the rights of ingress and egress over and across the same if lying along any water-course or stream, as required by Section 456, compiled laws of 1915.

GEORGE R. HOGARTH,  
Acting Director of Conservation.

Description

NW 1/4 of SW 1/4, Section 19, Town 26N, Range 3W, Acres 28.68.

S 1/2 of SW 1/4, Section 19, Town 26N, Range 3W, Acres 68.70.

MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Emma Anderson, single, to Constance Johnson, dated the 11 day of July A. D. 1922, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the county of Crawford and State of Michigan on the 11 day of July A. D. 1922, in Liber 11 of mortgages, on page 359, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, for principal and interest the sum of eight hundred twenty-four and twenty-nine hundredths dollars, and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, on Saturday the 2 day of June, A. D. 1928, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, the undersigned will, at the front door of the courthouse in the Village of Grayling that being the place where the Circuit Court for the county of Crawford is held, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount so as aforesaid due on said mortgage, with six per cent interest, and all legal costs, together with statutory attorney fees to wit: the east half of the southwest quarter of section 2, town 26N, range 3W.

CONSTANCE JOHNSON,  
Mortgagee.

Merle F. Nellist,  
Attorney for mortgagee,  
Grayling, Michigan.

ORDER ISSUED BY AUTHORITY OF ACT 230 OF THE PUBLIC ACTS OF 1925, REGULATING THE TAKING OF LARGE AND SMALL MULLET BLACK BASS IN THE LOWER PENINSULA OF THE STATE FOR A PERIOD OF THREE YEARS COMMENCING JUNE 16TH, 1928.

State of Michigan

County of Ingham

The Director of Conservation, having made a thorough investigation of conditions relative to bass fishing in the inland waters of the State, recommends certain regulations.

THEREFORE, the Conservation Commission, by authority of Act 230 of the Public Acts of 1925, hereby orders that for a period of three years from the sixteenth day of June, 1928, it shall be unlawful for any person to take, catch, or kill, or attempt to take, catch, or kill, any large or small mouth black bass in any one day in excess of five of these fish or to have in possession more than ten of these fish at any one time under penalties provided by Section 5 of Act 230 of the Public Acts of 1925.

Signed, sealed, and ordered published this second day of March, 1928.

GEORGE R. HOGARTH,  
Acting Director of Conservation.

Conservation Commission by:

Howard M. Bloomer, Chairman.

J. Russell Jantz, Secretary.

5-10-3

### Pigeon Nests on Anchor of Liner



When the Atlantic liner Aquitania arrived at New York from Liverpool the other day it was discovered that a black pigeon had built a nest on the anchor, laid an egg therein and traveled across the ocean. The bird and her oddly situated home are shown above.

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SPRING is in the air. The most enjoyable of all the motoring seasons is at hand. There's no better time to discover for yourself how much 400 "Extra Dry" Shell Gasoline adds to the joy of motoring. Fill up with this wonder fuel today and put your car through its paces. Hit the open road... up hill and down you will revel in the feeling of added power and flexibility at your finger tips. Your speedometer will tell a pleasing story of quick response to every demand of speed and full mileage from every gallon. There is a real reason for the superior performance of 400 "Extra Dry" Shell Gasoline. It is refined by a modern process which rejects the heavy, greasy parts of the crude oil and retains only the most active, volatile elements. As a result, it is "extra dry," vaporizes instantly, burns cleanly and completely. Shell yellow-red service stations and Shell Dealers are ready to serve you with 400 "Extra Dry." Best of all, you pay not one cent extra for the extra quality it contains or the extra satisfaction it delivers.



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## NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

### Watson Defeats Hoover in Indiana—Japan Is Fighting Chinese.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

INDIANA farmers indicated last week that they did not approve of the Presidential candidacy of Herbert Hoover. The vote of the rural districts in the Republican primary was strong enough to give Senator James E. Watson, favorite son, a majority of something like 25,000 over the secretary of commerce, whose strength was mainly in the cities and larger towns; and the 33 Hoover delegates at Kansas City will vote for the senator at least on the first ballot. And Hooverites claimed the result in Indiana was a severe blow to Hoover's chances, but his supporters claimed he really had and that it was only a temporary setback.

Dr. J. S. Watson, Watson's brother, does that he is in the race to win the nomination. He is a strong force for Watson, and the Watsons are understood to be the leading force in the primary of the state. Watson's strength is in the rural districts, and he is understood to be the leading force in the primary of the state. Watson's strength is in the rural districts, and he is understood to be the leading force in the primary of the state.

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many casualties on both sides and the fighting continues at the time of writing. Each side blamed the other for the outbreak of hostilities, and each accused the other of brutal outrages. The Japanese commander in Shantung established a neutral zone along the railway and at latest reports had driven the Southerners out of it. The Tokyo government speedily prepared and sent over heavy reinforcements and dispatched additional warships. Then Marshal Chang, director of north China, issued a proclamation ordering all his forces to cease fighting the Nationalists. In order, evidently, that the Chinese nation might employ its combined strength in combating the Japanese aggression. In his pronouncement Chang intimated his intention of soon retiring to Manchuria, stating he was willing to be not insistent regarding national politics, and he concluded with the statement that the ship of state was sinking rapidly and he hoped the people would come to their senses and save the country from destruction.

Supporters of mediation by the United States have been made but are not strong. The American line is that it would not undertake to mediate unless asked to do so by both sides, and Japan says it will neither ask nor accept mediation. The official government view in Tokyo is that Japan does not consider the present situation a war and that therefore the matter can be settled diplomatically between Japan and China. All Americans in the war zone are believed to be safe. Some American Consul Priests were under fire.

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#### Jonteel Powder

This is the leading 50c face powder on the market at 10c. We carry it in all tins.

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#### Rexall Tooth Paste

This paste needs no introduction. Unsurpassed for 25c. 10c sale price. 2 for 20c.

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#### Theatrical Cold Cream

Here is an excellent cleansing cream that we sell in 1 lb. tins for 75c each. 10c sale price 2 for 140c.

You save 74c

#### Cherry Bark Cough Syrup

A 7 oz. bottle of cough syrup that has proven to be an excellent medicine for coughs and colds. 1 bottle for 50c. 2 bottles for 90c.

You save 40c

#### Rexall Shaving Cream

Doesn't dry quickly. Is an excellent beard softener. Large Tube for 35c. 2 for 60c.

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Almost everyone knows how 1c sales are conducted, and the quality of goods placed on sale for the 3 days mentioned. The plan is 1 item for the regular selling price and another item, same value for 1c. For example: 1 Puretest Rubbing Alcohol for 75c, or 2 Puretest Rubbing Alcohol for 76c. 1 Peptona for \$1.00, 2 Peptona for \$1.01. The United Drug Co., the sponsors of the 1c sale plan of advertising allow us to sell this drug store merchandise for 3 days only, and the losses taken are charged off as modern advertising. Instead of spending money for advertising, we give it to you in the merchandise mentioned in this announcement. All 1c sale goods must be cash.

#### Cocoa Butter Lotion

An excellent mixture of coco butter and lemon for a skin food and to remove tan and freckles. Regular price 50c. Sale price 51c.

#### Pure Test Epsom Salt

Puretest Epsom Salt is chemically pure. The bitter taste is removed by the purifying process. In 1 lb. boxes for 25c each. 2 for 26c. 1-2 lb. size 15c. 2 for 16c. 1-4 lb. size 10c. 2 for 11c.

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We sold 144 bottles of Peptona in 1927. That shows it has many friends when a good tonic is needed. 1 for \$1.2 for \$1.01. You save 10c.

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### Frederic School Notes

Editor—Mary Bender.  
Assistant editor—Doris Cousart.

I looked in the cookie jar  
And what did I see?  
A big round cookie  
That mother put there for me.  
Mother looked in the cookie jar  
But she did not see.  
The tiny round cookie  
That she put there for me.

We are patiently waiting for vacation.  
Why Alfred is absent so much.  
Why the third graders get stuck in number work.  
Why the first graders were so quiet Monday afternoon.  
If we're going to have a school picnic this year.  
L. D. Spencer was a primary visitor one day last week.  
Spring is surely here if the baseball boys are any indications of it.  
Second and Third graders finished "The Bluebird" last Friday.  
Third graders are having a little difficulty in mastering multiplication problems but they will win.  
First graders are learning "The

### STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court of the County of Crawford.

In the matter of the Estate of Nellie E. Palmer, late of the Village of Grayling, in said County of Crawford, deceased.

Notes is hereby given that four months from the 15th day of May, 1928, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and of this notice upon payment to the undersigned or to the Register in the County of Crawford, in which the said court is held, at the probate office, in the Village of Grayling, in said County of Crawford, on or before the 1st day of October, A. D. 1928, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Monday the 1st day of October, A. D. 1928, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated May 14th A. D. 1928.

GEORGE SORENSON,  
Judge of Probate.

A true copy.  
George Sorenson, Judge of Probate.

### TO THE OWNER OR OWNERS OF ANY AND ALL INTERESTS IN OR LIENS UPON THE LANDS HEREIN DESCRIBED:

Take notice that sale has been lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes thereon, and that the undersigned has title thereto under tax deed or deeds issued therefor, and that you are entitled to a conveyance thereof at any time with- in six months after return of service of said declaration as commencing time of suit, and the further sum of five dollars for each description, without other additional cost or charges. If payment as aforesaid is not made, the undersigned will institute proceedings for possession of the land.

Description of Land:  
Southwest quarter, section 30, containing one hundred forty nine and thirty two hundredths acres more or less, town 28, N, range 4W. Amount paid \$68.72, tax for year 1924. Amount paid \$22.48, tax for year 1925. Amount paid \$103.23, tax for year 1926. Total \$331.77.

All located and being in the County of Crawford, State of Michigan.

Dated April 17, 1928.  
(Signed) J. P. Lotherman, trustee Baugh Building.  
Place of business Lansing, Michigan.

I further certify and return that after careful inquiry, I am unable to ascertain the whereabouts or post office address of R. G. Peters Salt & Lumber Co. of East Lake, or any President, Secretary, Treasurer or General Agent or office of said R. G. Peters Salt & Lumber Company of East Lake.

I further certify and return that said notice was delivered to me for service on the 21st day of April 1928. Dated the 23rd day of April 1928.

My fees, \$1.10.

John Emil Nord,  
Sheriff of said County. 5-17-4